

Name	Generation (April-July 2000) (In GWH)		Target achieved (%)
GMR Vasavi	477	468	98.1
NALCO IMP	200	161	80.5
ICCL IMP	132	172	130.3
DLF Assam	60	33	55.0

Power Projects in NER

1970. SHRI PRAKANTA WARISA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to set up power projects in the NER, particularly in the North Cachar Hills Districts of Assam;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) to (c) Yes, Sir. There are as many as 10 power projects (including Kopili H.E. Project St. II-25-MW— in North Cachar Hills of Assam) with an aggregate capacity of 1360 MW under execution in N.E. Region and Sikkim. The details are given in the Statement (*See below*)

In addition, the following projects have been identified for capacity addition during the Tenth Plan and beyond:—

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| 1. Tuivai HEP (3×70 MW) | Mizoram |
| 2. Kameng HEP (4×150 MW) | Arunachal Pradesh |
| 3. Myntdu HEP St. I (2×42 MW) | Meghalaya |
| 4. Gas Turbine project (500 MW) | Tripura |
| 5. Ranganadi HEP St. II (180 MW) | Arunachal Pradesh |
| 6. Dikrong HEP (100 MW) | Arunachal Pradesh |
| 7. Lower Kopili HEP (150 MW) | Assam |
| 8. Tipaimukh HEP (1500 MW) | Manipur |
| 9. Subansiri & Dihang Basin (20700 MW) | Arunachal pradesh |

The following State sector projects are also under examination in the Central Electricity Authority (CEA) for techno-economic clearance:

1. Bairabi HEP (80 MW) Mizoram
2. Kolodyne St. I HEP (2×60 (MW) Mizoram
3. Lakwa Waste Heat Recovery Unit (1×38 MW) Assam
4. HFO Based TPS in Dimapur (4×6 MW) Nagaland
5. HFO Based DGPP at Bairabi (20 MW) Mizoram

Statement

Details of the power projects under execution in North Eastern Region and Sikkim

Sl. No.	Project With Installed Capacity	Type	State	Implementing Agency
1.	Ranganadi Stage-I (3×135 MW)	Hydro	Arunachal Pradesh	NEEPCO
2.	Karbi Langpi (2×50 MW)	Hydro	Assam	ASEB
3.	Dhansiri (5×3×1.33 MW)	Hydro	Assam	ASEB
4.	Kopili Stage-II*(1×25 MW)	Hydro	Assam	NEEPCO
5.	Tuirial (2×30 MW)	Hydro	Mizoram	NEEPCO
6.	Likim-Ro (3×8 MW)	Hydro	Nagaland	State
7.	Loktak D/S (3×30 MW)	Hydro	Manipur	NHPC
8.	Leimakhong DGPP (6×6 MW)	Thermal	Manipur	State

Sl. No.	Project With Capacity	Installed Type	State	Implementing Agency
9.	Amguri Gas Based (3×30 MW) (yet to start)	Thermal	Assam	Private
10.	Teesta-V (510 MW)	Hydro	Sikkim	NHPC

*The Kopili HE Project is in North Cachar hills of Assam.

Impact of Earthquake on Tehri Dam Structure

1971. SHRI RAMACHANDRAIAH RUMANDLA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Tehri Dam structure was unaffected by the last earthquake in Chamoli; and

(b) if so, the views of the experts in this regard?

(THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Experts from the Geological Survey of India (GSI) who had inspected the site had confirmed that no damage was observed in the Tehri Dam structure due to Chamoli Earthquake.

Fall in Power Generation

1972. SHRI ABANI ROY: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the target of power generation may fall by 30 per cent during the current plan period;

(b) if so, the exact cause of fall in power generation;

(c) whether the private sector has not come forward to generate power as per expectations; and

(d) if so, the steps taken by the Government to boost power generation to achieve targets?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) The Planning Commission had envisaged a target of 40,245.2 MW for the 9th Plan.